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In re application of:

Vanessa HSEI, et al.

Application Serial No. 09/489,394

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PETITION TO ACCEPT AN UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED PRIORITY CLAIM UNDER 35 U.S.C. §120 and 35 U.S.C. §119(e)

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For: ANTIBODY FRAGMENTS-

**USES OF SAME** 

Dear Sir:

The present application, U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/489,394 claims priority to U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/116,787 filed January 21, 1999 as evidenced by its filing receipt (copy enclosed).

Applicants petition the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to accept the following claims for priority and for the benefit of prior-filed applications in pending U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/489,394 in addition to the above-named priority claim:

This application claims priority from co-pending Application Serial No. 09/026,985, filed February 20, 1998, now U.S. Patent No. 6,133,426, which claims the benefit of provisional Application Serial Nos. 60/038,664, filed February 21, 1997 and 60/074,330, filed January 22, 1998, and claims priority from co-pending U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/355,014, filed September 13, 1999, which claims priority from U.S. Patent Application Serial Nos. 08/804,444, filed February 21, 1997, now U.S. Patent No. 6,117,980, and 09/012,116 filed January 22, 1998, from all of which applications priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §120 and 35 U.S.C. §119(e).

## **REMARKS**

Each application in this chain was filed by an inventor or inventors named in the previously filed application before the patenting or abandonment of or termination of proceedings in the earlier filed application. Accordingly, the requirements for a claim of priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120 and 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) are satisfied.

Therefore, Applicants petition the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to accept the priority claims to Application Serial Nos. 09/355,014; 09/026,985; 09/012,116; 08/804,444; 60/038,664; and 60/074,330 in the present Application Serial No. 09/489,394 as detailed above.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge (or credit any overpayment) Deposit Account No. <u>08-1641</u>, referencing Attorney's Docket No. <u>39766-0092 A</u> in payment for the fees due for this Petition. Such payment is believed to be in the amount of <u>\$1,330.00</u> for the petition fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(t) (fee code 1454).

This petition includes:

- a) the reference required by 35 U.S.C. §120, 35 U.S.C. §119(e), 37 C.F.R. §1.78(a)(3) and 37 C.F.R. §1.78(a)(5)
  - b) the surcharge under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(t) (the above-indicated authorization)
- c) a statement that the entire delay between the claim was due under 37 C.F.R. §1.78(a)(5) and the date the claim was filed was unintentional (below).

### **STATEMENT**

The entire delay between the dates the priority claims to Application Serial No. 09/355,014, filed September 13, 1999, Application Serial No. 09/012,116 filed January 22, 1998, Application Serial No. 09/026,985, filed February 20, 1998, Application Serial No. 60/074,330, filed January 22, 1998, Application Serial No. 60/038,664, filed February 21, 1997 and Application Serial No. 08/804,444, filed February 21, 1997 were due and the date this claim is filed was unintentional.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements made with the knowledge that willful false statements and

the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

Respectfully submitted,

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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Richard 8. Love Name of Person Signing Registration No. 34,659



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#### ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Vanessa Hsei, a citizen of USA, residing at 5047 Capistrano Ave, San Jose, CA 95129, and Iphigenia Koumenis, a citizen of USA, residing at 3820 Park Boulevard, Palo Alto, CA 94306, and Steven Leong, a citizen of USA, residing at 1914 Eldorado Ave, Berkeley, CA 94707, and Leonard Presta, a citizen of USA, residing at 1900 Gough Street #206, San Francisco, CA 94109, and Zahra Shahrokh, a citizen of USA, residing at 24 Sotelo Ave San Francisco, CA 94116, and Gerardo Zapata, a citizen of USA, residing at 785 Widgeon St. Foster, City, CA 94404 (hereinafter "ASSIGNORS"), have invented a new and useful invention in

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for which an application Serial No. 09/234,182 (Docket No. P1085R4-1A) for Letters Patent has been filed by them on 20 January 1999; and

WHEREAS, GENENTECH, INC., a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, having a place of business at 1 DNA Way, South San Francisco, California 94080, is desirous of acquiring an interest in and to said invention, and in and to the Letters Patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may concern:

That for good and valuable consideration the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said ASSIGNORS have and do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said GENENTECH, INC., its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest including all rights under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, in and to said invention, and in and to any and all Letters Patents to be granted and issued therefor or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to Letters Patents any reissue or re-examination thereof, not only for, to, and in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, but for, to and in all other countries; and it has been and is hereby authorized and requested that the appropriate government agencies issue said Letters Patents to said GENENTECH, INC., in accordance with this Assignment.

Said ASSIGNORS covenant and agree to cooperate with GENENTECH, INC., to enable said GENENTECH, INC. to enjoy to the fullest extent the right, title and interest herein conveyed in the United States and foreign countries. Such cooperation by said ASSIGNORS includes prompt production of pertinent facts and documents, giving of testimony, execution of petitions, oaths, specifications, declarations or other papers, and other assistance all to the extent deemed necessary or desirable by said GENENTECH, INC., (a) for perfecting the right, title and interest herein conveyed (b) for prosecuting any of said applications; (c) for filing and prosecuting applications for reissuance of any of said patents; (d) for interference or other priority proceedings involving said invention; and (e) for legal proceedings involving said invention and any applications therefor and any patents granted thereon, including without limitation opposition proceedings, cancellation proceedings, priority contests, public use proceedings, infringement actions and court actions; provided, however, that the expense incurred by said ASSIGNORS in providing such cooperation shall be paid for by said GENENTECH, INC.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF we undersign as follows;

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I hereby certify that the attached Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: BOX ASSIGNMENT, Assistant Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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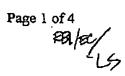
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